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WEATHER REPORT
Unsettled today, probably thunderstorms. Tomorrow fair, continued warm; gentle, moderate to southerly winds becoming variable.
Sun rose 4:46. Sun sets 7:38.

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NO ORDERS FOR WITHDRAWAL

No Definite Statement when Carranza Will Send Reply

DELAY ANTICIPATED

Mexican Leaders Believe Chances of Hostilities Have Been Materially Lessened

Washington, July 3.—Concentration of General Pershing's troops nearer the American border was dictated by military necessity, and is not the beginning of withdrawal from Mexico.

This explanation was given at the War Department today, where it was declared General Pershing has found it necessary to concentrate his forces not only to guard against hostilities, but because it was impossible to provide supplies for the men and forage for the animals with a base so far from the border.

The War Department will not admit that Pershing's army has been withdrawn 300 miles, and is now within 100 miles of the border. Under the military censorship, the exact location of the troops cannot be given. It was stated, however, that orders have not come from the White House for withdrawal.

Mexico City, July 3.—The foreign office today was unable to make any definite statement as to when General Carranza's reply to the American note will be presented.

Friday it was stated upon apparently reliable authority that the reply was practically completed and would be delivered within a few hours.

The following day the statement was made that the note probably would be ready by Monday night. Today the best information was that the final draft would not be made for several days.

President Wilson's speech before the National Press Association in New York, and dispatches reporting that the great bulk of the people of the United States oppose war with Mexico, have convinced Mexican leaders that the chances of hostilities have ben greatly lessened.

Gen. Carranza and his staff visited drilling grounds where volunteers were being drilled Sunday, and reviewed a patriotic demonstration headed by choruses singing:

"War, war upon the invader."

The city was quiet throughout Sunday, and there were no anti-American demonstrations.

POLICE COURT

(Justice L. H. Thompson, presiding)

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Luther Allison, charged with drunken and disorderly conduct, and assaulting an officer, was fined $20.

Wallace Littlejohn, colored, charged with a similar offense, was fined $20.

Nettie Gibbs, colored, charged with assaulting Sarah Pinckney also colored, with a brick and assaulting a policeman, was fined $20.

Charles Zimmerman, colored, charged with allowing horses to run at large, was fined $1.

Fred Schultz and Calvin Neale, charged with violating the traffic law forfeited their collateral by failing to appear.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITY

The July term of the Circuit Court for the city convened this morning. Judge Barley presided in the absence of Judge Thornton, who is still indisposed. No business was transacted and the court adjourned until Thursday, when the case of David G. Grillbortzer vs. the City Council of Alexandria will he heard. The plaintiff is suing for the purpose of testing the validity of the new tax law. The Governor has designated Judge Henry W. Holt, of Staunton, to preside on that occasion.

LATE TITUS F. ELLIS.

Funeral Services of Deceased Held in This City This Morning.

Funeral services for Titus F. Ellis, who died Friday night at his home at Mount Vernon, were held this morning at 11 o'clock at the chapel of Wheatley's undertaking establishment. Interment was in Ivy Hill Cemetery. There were numbers of floral tributes to the memory of the deceased. Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D. pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church conducted the services.

Members of the Masonic lodges of this city and Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows attended the services and proceeded to the cemetery in automobiles. Pall-bearers were as follows: Percy E. Clift, J. L. Perry, F. M. Hamilton, Mayor Thomas A. Fisher, August Loehl, and J. J. Feugell, of Washington.

The deceased was a member of the following fraternal organizations Lodge No. 149 F. A. A. M. Aberdeen, Ohio, his birthplace; Mt. Vernon Chapter, No. 14, Royal Arch Masons, of this city; Kallipolis Grotto, Washington; Almas Temple, Mystic Shrine, Washington; Washington Lodge of Elks, Washington, Potomac Lodge, No. 38, Independent Order of; Odd Fellows, this city Post F, Travelers Protective Association, this city; Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101, Washington.

SPOKE ON JUDGMENT

Another Large Congregation in Tent Last Night

"The Judgment" was the theme of the discourse at the gospel tent on north Washington street last night. There was a large congregation, the members of which manifested interest in the sermon which was delivered by Evangelist Gibson.

The speaker said that the investigative judgment began in 1844 A. D., when the Prophet Daniel said it would begin; that it begins with the house of God, as the Apostle Peter said, and that all will have to appear before the judgment seat of Christ, as the Apostle Paul said. The speaker, continuing, said we know not when the judgment will begin with the living, but we know that it is very near, even at the doors.

The speaker said we should be prepared to meet God, so that when our names come up in the judgment the Lord may say of us "Well done; enter thou into the joy of the Lord."

The music was a special feature of the service. Chorister Ellers sang a special song, and at the close of the services a song on the judgment was sung by the quartette.

The subject tonight will be "Sin—what is it?" etc. There will be no services tomorrow (Tuesday) night.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.

Expect That Session of Tribunal Will Last But Few Days.

The July term of the United States district court, for the eastern district of Virginia, Judge Edmund Waddill, jr., presiding, convened for its July term in this city this morning at 11 o'clock. There are eight criminal, five naturalization, and one contested case on the docket, and it is expected that the session of the court will last only a few days. The court will adjourn over the Fourth.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The State Corporation Commission has granted a supplemental certificate of Liberty Oil Company, Inc., Alexandria, increasing capital stock from $5.500,000 to $6,000,000

The monthly tournament of the Alexandria Gun Club was held Saturday afternoon on the grounds of G. B. Willis, in Duke street extended. Prizes were awarded to ed to G. B. Willis, Dr. S. B. Moore and J. S. Douglas, jr.

Children's playgrounds were opened for the summer this morning on the grounds of the Washington School, under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association. Miss Kail, of Washington, D. C., will be in charge, and she will be assisted by William L. Schafer, jr., who will have charge of the athletic field for boys.

GERMANS FAIL TO STEM DRIVES

Allies Hold All Gains Despite Heavy Counter Attacks

TAKE MANY CAPTIVES

Teutons' Line Penetrated at Points For Depth of Two Miles in Recent Drives

Berlin, July 3. — English and French attacks north of the Somme last night were without advantage, the enemy being repulsed with bloody losses, the war office announced this afternoon.

South of the Somme the Germans withdrew from their second line under heavy French attacks.

British headquarters, in France, July 3, via London,—A further advance has been ma de by the British forces to the east of the Ancre river.

To the north o fthe town of Fricourt the British have pushed forward and have gained ground at a hig herelevation.

The situation here is promising for the British.

A heavy shelling of Montauban by the Germans continues. The British appear to be well established in the town.

The number of German prisoners taken in the south so far exceeds 4,000. The weather continues favorable.

Fighting continues intense on virtually the whole British front. Above the Ancre there have been on important changes. The British have heavily bombarded Thiepval. At La Boiselle severe fighting is proceeding North of Fricourt the British have pushed their positions forward to higher ground.

Paris, July 3.—In a brilliant night attack that threw the Germans back on a wide front, French troops last night captured the village of Hercecourt, advancing to within five miles of the heart of Peronne, one of the immediate objectives of the allied offensive.

The advance was made on a five-kilometer front (about three miles) The French swept forward from the Mireaucourt wood, near the river Somme, to a point west of the village of Assevillers.

"The combats south of the Somme were entirely favorable to the French," the war office stated today. "During Sunday, eve and Sunday night the French entirely occupied on a five kilometer front the two second position German trenches between Mireaucourt wood and up to Assevillers.

"Between these two points, during the course of a brilliant encounter, the French carried Hercecourt village.

"Toward Awre, in the region of Dancourt, the Desloges wood was cleaned of the enemy by French grenade reconnaissances."

"North of the Somme there were no German attacks during the night on our newly gained positions."

London, July 3. — The French forces have done spendid fighting in the new offensive of the Franco-British armies on the western front. They have taken more prisoners than the British and have captured a number of towns.

South of the Somme the French have forced their way into the second line of the German entrenchments at a number of places and have captured the village of Frise and the Mereaucourt Wood, according to an official statement issued by the French War Office. The number of unwounded prisoners taken in the two day's battle now is stated to be more than 6,000. The British in their two days' operations have taken 3,500. The French have 150 German officers prisoners.

Fricourt, a town three miles east of Albert, the scene of desperate fighting between the British and Germans since the Entente allied offensive was begun, has been captured by the British.

A strong German counter-attack in the course of the night on Montauban, five miles east of Albert, was repused with heavy loss to the attackers. The British troops are in excellent spirits.

French troops captured the village of Curlu, about seven miles southeast of Albert.

A heavy German counter-attack upon the village of Hardecourt, one and one-eighth miles north of Cprlu, was repulsed. After repeated assaults th Germans there were obliged to retreat in disorder, according to the French statement.

The official British dispatches report the continued success of the combined Anglo-French offensive.

The German lines in some places have been penetrated to a depth of two miles north of the Somme, where the French and British armies make contact, various points of tactical value having been taken.

The German official report generally confirms the success of the first day's British operations, admitting the withdrawal of the Germans from their first line trenches and the abandonment of heavy material therein.

The British public stil displays the same quiet ethusiasm, determination and Confidence, fully understanding that no great drive like that carried out by the Russian commander, General Brusiloff, is possible against the depth, strength and rail power of the formidably organized German front and that great sacrifices and possible setbacks must be prepared for.

Many regrets are heard that Kitchener had not lived to see the results of his work. This is the first great battle in which the military legions he created are being put to the test.

Paris, July 3.—The battle of the Somme, now in full progress, marks the opening offensive, long expected as a critical, if not the decisive, stage of the war.

Early reports show that the Entente Allied forces are sweeping forward along a 25-mile front. The French already have taken more than 5,000 prisoners, while the Allied lines have enveloped within the last 24 hours nine villages and 50 square miles of French territory held until now by the Germans.

The great offensive was expected and eagerly awaited in the last 10 days, but the exact point where the blow was to be delivered was carefully concealed. It was believed that it would be north of Arras, with Lilel as the objective,, but it was finally decided for strategid, rather than for sentimental grounds, to execute the moves south of Arras at a point where the piercing of the line would operate more seriously in the dislocation o fthe German forces.

The theatre of operations for the British forces runs between Gomme. court, north of the river Ancre, to a point just north of the Somme, while the French attacked on both sides of the Somme and southward toward Rove.

Thus the Entente Allied armies present a front of 25 miles, with the British on the left for 15 miles and the French on the right for 10 miles.

The region of this supreme contest is one favorable for military operations. It vitrually all is within the Department of the Somme, which is a level plateau of chalky formation.

The fighting lines extend between a great number of small villages, which are usually devoted to textile industries, while the outlying agricultural sections are level fields chiefly devoted to beet culture for the extenive sugar production of France.

The village which the French captured in the first sweep include Dompierre, Besquincourt, Bussus and Fay, and these and the towns taken by the British—Montauban and Mametz —were all found to have been strongly fortified by the Germans.

The Entente Allies, profiting by their experience in the war, quickly threw up strong earthworks around the villages thus taken, in order to protect them against counter-attacks It was not before night, however, that the Germans were able to deliver any counter-attack. This was centred against the French position on the outskirts of Hardecourt and it was repulsed with heavy losses, ending in a precipitate retreat.

MARKET NOTICE

The City Market will be closed on Tuesday, July 4th, all day. 27-4t

WILL LEAVE FOR TEXAS TOMORROW

Virginia Soldiers Expected To Travel in Three Trains

SOME WILL GO LATER

With Clearer Weather, Sanitary Conditions at Camp Stuart Are Greatly Improved

Richmond, July 3—The First Regiment, under command of Colonel William J. Perry, will leave Camp Henry Carter Stuart for the Mexican border early tomorrow morning, according to the best information obtainable at the office of the Adjutant General, where officials were loath to make definite statements as to the probable movement of Virginia's war contingent.

Adjutant-General Sale stated, however, that present plans are to have the entire body of State troops rushed on special trains to Brownsville, Tex., before the end of this week. Later developments may prove to be determining factors in the course pursued by those in charge of the situation. All troops are ready for the order to begin the southward movement.

The First Regiment will leave over the Seaboard Air Line Railroad, entraining at the Fair Grounds, and going straight through to the Texas destination. Three trains will be required for the movement, one in command of the colonel, the other in charge of the lieutenant-colonel and the third commanded by the senior major of the regiment. Railroad officials estimate seventy-six hours as running time to Brownsville.

Five days' rations will be issued for the use of the troops during the journey south. This issue will not include coffee, which will be purchased at convenient places on the trip. Each man in the regiment will be given 21 cents a day to secure the necessary portion of black stimulant.

It is understood that General Sale intends to send the Second Regiment to the border on Wednesday morning. This is the senior regiment of the brigade, and is commanded by Colonel Robert Leedy, of Luray. It will travel in special trains over the line of the Southern Railway, arriving at Brownsville some time during the afternoon Saturday. Three sections will be provided for it, just as for the First Regiment. All troops will entrain at the Fair Grounds.

Other troops in the Virginia war contingent probably will follow their comrades in quick succession to the scene of action. Before the sun sets on Saturday every physically fit man at Camp Stuart will be either on the Texas border or hastening on his way, according to the present outlook. Those who have failed to pass the Federal muster, or are too ill-trained to begin the active life of a soldier where duty may sound the call to arms at any moment, will be left behind for further practice in the arts of war.

Camp Henry C. Stuart will be left in command of General Cecil C. Vaughan, Jr., who will have around him the same staff to assist in the work of whipping the leftovers into shape. Discipline will be maintained, just as before, and the regular routine of camp life will not cease. Officers will continue with renewed vigor the task of making soldiers out of raw recruits. Preparations to make the camp a permament mobilization point will be prosecuted to completion.

The two regiments and the troops to follow them will go forth to the border fully equipped for active service. With the single exception of cots, Major Allen Potts, camp quartermaster, has on hand enough supplies to completely fit out the unmounted portions of State troops. Uniforms, ammunition, rifles and ordnance have been received from the War Department. The State has purchased the necessary supply of clothing, chargeable to the Federal government.

Widespread reports d uring the day that the onward movement would surely begin on Tuesday fired the soldier to a pitch of intense excitement Virginia's troops, in spirit, at least, are ready for the call to action. Inaction has hung heavily upon them. The dull routine of camp life has not satisfied their longing to perform military service. The bare prospect of a rush to the border has filled them with enthusiasm and many a heart was made lighter.

While declining to say definitely just when the troops would be sent to Texas, military authorities did not hesitate to say that the Fourth of July season is a bad time for such an undertaking. Railroads are embarrassesed in the running of special trains. There is danger, they say, of wrecks in a congestion of traffic. It is impossible to move on lines with numerous excursions with the same degree of safety as in other times.

Commanders are loath too, to move their men without all the training possible to be had at the concentration. point.

Having made himself, it is alleged personally and officially offensive to many officers of the Virginia militia Lieutenant-Colonel Sterrett, United States Army, has been relieved by Major-General Wood, commander of the Department of the East, from duty as chief inspecting officer for the War Department with the Virginia troops. Colonel Sterrett will be succeeded, it is said, by Colonel Chamberlayne, of the Inspector General's Department.

The exact causes which led to the action reported to have been taken by officers of the Virginia National Guard in asking General Wood to relieve Colonel Sterrett from duty in Richmond are difficult to learn, in view of the position taken by the officers that military discipline prevents any discussion of the matter. Reports about Camp Henry Carter Stuart yesterday charged Colonel Sterrett with many offenses, some of which surpassed the bounds of probability.

However, it seemed generally understood that it was a series of remarks made by the army officer reflecting upon the Virginia troops, their management and their patriotism, rather than one specific act, which aroused the local officers to take such radical action. It is stated that ever since his arrival, Colonel Sterrett's attitude toward the troops and their commanders has been such as to arouse intense resentment.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

Husband Riddles Woman With Bullets and Kisses Her as She Expires

Lancaster, Pa., July 3—Overtaking his wife in the crowded station of the Philadelphia and Reading railway here last night after having traced her from town to town for five weeks, Claude Dawson, of Aspidan, N. Y., became so enraged when she refused to rejoin him that he riddled the woman with seven shots from an automatic revolver, while hundreds looked on aghast.

With her arms to her eyes and blood coming from the fatal wounds, the wife only twenty one years old and pretty, staggered t oa grass plot outside the station, where she died.

Dawson followed her, meanwhile keeping the spectators at bay with his revolver. Those who followed him with their eyes saw the man pick up the dead woman in his arms and imprint a kiss on her lips. He then laid her down gently, deliberately reloaded the revolver and sent a bullet crashing through his brain. He fell dead beside the woman.

Five Year Drought Predicted

Is the United States to be visited by a five year period of drought, following this year? One meteorological expert predicts it and others says it may occur. Professor A. F. Woods, dean and director of the Minnesota College of Agriculture, says rain periods occur every twelve years, are of five years' duration and this is the last year of the wet period. Professor Charle F. Marvin, chief of the United State weather bureau confirms the statement that seasons of wet and dry weather occur periodically and with some regularity. This is true, he says, also of other climatic conditions, s u ch as temperature and cloudiness.

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Many Former Progressives Refuse to Follow The Colonel

HENEY IS THE LATEST

Formal Bull Moose Candidate for Senate Praises President's Policies and Pledges Support

Washington, July 3—One by one the militant and thoroughly independent leaders of the late Progressive party are coming out for President Wilson and are serving notice upon Theodore Roosevelt and Charles E. Hughes that they will not be delivered into the hands of the men who have dominated the Republican organization since 1912.

Raymond Robbins, chairman of the Progressive Convention at Chicago; John M. Parker, Vice Presidential nominees of that convention; Brainbridge Colby, who placed Roosevelt in nomination; Roscoe G. Fertich, one of the Bull Moose founders in Indiana; J. A. H. Hopkins, State chairman of the Progressive organization in New Jersey, and Norman Hapgood, one of the most brilliant factors in the one-time party, have let it be known that they will not swallow Mr. Hughes.

The White House has given out a telegram received from Francis J. Heney, the graft prosecutor, of Sam Francisco, former Bull Moose candidate for the United States Senate and one of the stanchest of the Progressive leaders, East or West in which he announces his determination to support Mr. Wilson and tenders his services to the Democratic National Committee during the campaign.

No declaration yet made by a former follower of Colonel Roosevelt is more significant than that contained in the Heney telegram. This is not based upon mere resentment that Roosevelt should have surrendered to the Republican nor upon the sole fact that the Republican party now is controlled by the same reactionary influences that controlled it four years ago. This circumstance is cited by Mr. Heney as one reason why sincere Progressives cannot ally themselves with the old party, but his most impressive point is the statement that the Wilson administration commends itself to every patriotic American.

The President's foreign policies are praised by Mr. Heney. He refers to our negotiations with Germany as the triumph of a wholesome diplomacy that has kept the country out of war without sacrificing either American honor or prestige. He praises the Mexican policy just as generously, and then cites the success of the domestic program of the Wilson Administration.

ITALIANS PROGRESS

Smashing Austrian Mountain Defenses and Displaying Great Activity

London, July 3—On the entire Trentino front the Italians are smashing against the Austrian mountain defenses and further progress is reported in an official statement received last night from Rome. The Italians also are displaying activity in the Isonzo region and have won an action of some proportions in the vicinity of Monfalcon.

The Italian heavy guns have now seen brought well up and are shelling the Austrian defenses between Zugana Torta and Folpiano. North of Pedescala the assaulting troops have won a series of trenches while in the Pasubio zone they have completed their conquest of Monte Majo and have swept up the southern slopes of Monte Seluggio.

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ATTACKED POLICEMEN

White Man and Negro and Negress Fined $20 Each in the Police Court This Morning.

Three persons—a white man, a negro and negress—were in the dock in the police court this morning charged with assaulting officers of the law while in the discharge of their duty.

The first case called was that of Luther Allison, who made Officer Power the victim of his wrath when the latter found him drunk in the street and placed him upon his feet for the purpose of inducing him to go home. He attacked the officer viciously and gave the latter considerable trouble in placing him under arrest. The officer's statement was corroborated by two young men who witnessed the procedure. Allison was fined $20.

The next prisoner was a negress named Nettie Gibbs. She was charged with assaulting a colored woman named Sarah Pinckney. She struck the Pinckney woman in the face with a brick which she hurled through a window of her house. Officer Miller soon reached the scene and when he attempted to arrest the frenzied woman she fought him with the fury of a tigress. The officer, after considerable difficulty, succeeded in placing her in the station house. She was fined $20.

The next individual who was charged with assaulting an officer was Wallace Littlejohn, a young negro man. Officer Bell and Snellings found Littlejohn in a drunken condition Saturday night at Royal and Queen Streets. The officers placed him upon his feet, and when the negro inquired the way to Washington street the officers pointed out the direction he should take Littlejohn then opened his battery of cuss words, using all sorts of language in denouncing the officers. When they attempted to place him under arrest he fought them furiously, until he was struck upon the head with a stick in the hands of one of the officers. He then submitted to arrest. Littlejohn did not atempt to refute the charges against him, and when asked by the court if he supposed policemen were placed in the street to be insulted and attacked by drunken men, he thoughtlessly replied "yes". He was fined $20.

MUSIC RECITAL.

The pupils of Miss Mary Devitt's class gave their annual recital at her studio, Friday evening, which was excellently rendered on two pianos. Diplomas of the National Graded Course, were presented to the Misses Lois White, E. Roche, M. Dienelt, L. Grimes, M. Martin, C. Cox, D. Dean, G. Nevitt, S. Foster, R. St. Clair, N. Bermer, E. Herring, L. Bermer, M. Nitzery and M. Barry. Special premiums for attendance to Miss Mary Martin and Miss Marian Dienelt. A gold medal was presented to Thomas M. Jones in February for completing the course of seven grades and Czerny's Velocity and Virtuosity.

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors held this day, a Semi-Annual Dividend of six per cent was declared, payable on and after July 1st, 1916.

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NOTICE!

Called meeting of Potomac Lodge, No. 38, I. O. O. F., tonight at 8 p. m. to make arrangements to attend funeral of Brother T. F. Ellis, of Mt. Vernon. A. T. SULLIVAN, Noble Grand.

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REJECT THIRTY-SEVEN

Seven-Nine Privates and Three Officers of Alexandria Light Infantry Pass Inspection.

Definite announcement has come from the state mobilization encampment at Richmond that out of the 119 enisted men and officers of the Alexandria Light Infantry, officially known as Company G, First Regiment, Virginia Volunteers, a total of 37 members of the company were turned down on the physical examination prior to mustering into the United States army. This leaves 79 privates and "non-coms" and three commissioned officers in the local company.

The command has been mustered into the United States army, none of the company having refused to take the Federal oath. The Light Infantry will depart tomorrow morning with the First Regiment for the Mexican border, where the First Regiment will be stationed at Brownsville, Texas.

It is reported that Charles Deahl, jr., who was first sergeant of Company G, has been transferred to another company of the First Regiment with the rank of lieutenant.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

Lieut. James P. Lannon, U. S. N., was the guest last week of friends in this city.

Ensign Chaplin Eppes Evans, U S. N., of the U. S. S. Nicholson, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Evans, in south St. Asaph street

Mrs. Arthur V. Bishop, of Hollins College, Va., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth V. Hoffman, in Rosemont.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Walker and little daughter, Mary, are the guest of relatives in Marshall, Fauquier Co., Va. They will return after the Fourth.

Stanley G. Blanton left last week for his home in Richmond.

Miss Harriett Douglass has been the guest for the past few days of her brother in law and sister, Mrs. J. Percy Evans at their home near Warrenton.

Miss Marian Lindsey is the guest of Mrs. Rollin Conwell, in Bloomington, N. J.

George Brent, of Altoona, Pa., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel G. Brent, in this city.

Miss Marshall Cole, of Raleigh, N. C., the guest of Miss Esther D. Burke, at her home in Prince Street. Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee has been the recent guest of Mrs. Julian T. Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester D. Hubbard and Children, of Rosemont are visiting Mr. Hubbard's sister, Mrs. T. Norman Weaver, at her home in Newport, R. I.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh McGuire and Mr. Johnson McGuire spent yesterday in Richmond.

Misses Margaret and Marie Greene and Miss Agnes Wright are spending the Fourth at Miss Wright's home in Shepherdstown, W. Va.,

Miss Effie Clapdore left today for Philadelphia where she will join her sister and brother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Woomert have left for Reading, Pa., to spend the Fourth of July with Mr Woomert's mother, at her home in that city.

Miss Rose O'Brien and Robert West, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. Reed W. Miller, in Columbus street.

Cadet Herman Pohl, of the United States Military Academy, at West Point, N. Y., has left for Long Island where he will be a military instructor in a summer military camp at Fort Terry. Cadet Pohl has been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pohl in Rosemont, Va., a leave from the Academy that lasts until September

WILL OBSERVE FOURTH

Nation's Birthday Will Be Celebrated By General Cessation of Business.

The people of this city will enter into the spirit of the Fourth of July tomorrow. The city and government offices will be closed, the postoffice will observe Sunday hours and the banks will not be opened. Preparations for enjoying the day are being made by most of our people. Some will patronize public excursions, while the major portion will go on privvate picnics in motor boats, carriages or automobiles.

The police will endeavor to enforce the laws concerning the use of explosivves or sale of the same. Mayor Fisher has instructed them to see that the laws are strictly observed in order to prevent, if possible, accidents from explosives, guns or pistols. During recent years there has been a marked decrease in the number of explosions in this city on the Fourth of July, most people enjoying themselves in other ways on this occasion. This has been brought about by the large number of serious accidents in other cities where it was supposed that those causing the greatest noise on Independence Day manifested more patriotism than othrs. There have been sad accidents in Alexandria at times from the careless use of explosives. It is hoped Mayor's Fisher's orders will be obeyed, and that it will not be necessary to cite any one to appear in the Police Court for violating the city and state statutes.

PRESIDENT AT POHICK.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Pass Through Alexandria Yesterday.

President Wilson and Mrs. Wilson motored through this city yesterday and down to Pohick Church. About four o'clock on the road to that famous old place of worship, the President saw a party of ladies of this city struggling to put another tire on the machine they had been riding in, having just had a blow out. The President stopped and directed the Secret Service men who were following him in another car to help the party, staying until this was done. Among the ladies was Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee wife of Brig.-Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, who fought with Gen. Robert E. Lee in the Civil War.

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Indian Guards Engaged to Furnish Music for Celebration in Maryland.

The American Indian Guard band will leave here tomorrow morning for Frederick, Md., where they have been engaged by the city of Frederick to participate and furnish music in the parade on that date. Bands from all sections of Maryland will also take part in the celebration. The Indian Guard band has also been engaged to furnish the concert after the parade.

NOTICE U. D. C.

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NO PAPER TOMORROW

The Gazette will not be published tomorrow, July Fourth. This has been the custom with two or three exceptions during the past century or more. Thirty five years ago yesterday President Garfield was assassinated by Charles Guiteau in the Sixth depot, Washington and it was necessary to print the Gazette on July Fourth, 1881, as it was supposed the President's injury would result fatally within a few hours.

APPROACHING ARMAGEDDON

As the Baltimore Sun says, Kitchener did not live to see the great allied offensive which is now shaking the German lines in France by its tremendous impact. The day which he doubtless had in mind when he said "the war would not begin until the spring" seems to have arrived. The British "drive" is a year late, taking the Kitchener prediction literally, but it is a year stronger than it would have been twelve months ago. Kitchener, when he met his death, was probably on his way to co-ordinate with the Russian forward movement with the allied advance in France. But though dead he still speaks in the concerted and formidable blows which are being delivered simultaneously against the armies of Germany and Austria in the east and west.

Berlin professes to feel no uneasiness under these terrific assaults on both fronts at once, but even those who have the greatest confidence in Germany's powers of endurance and her wonderful resourcefulness must admit that the Teutonic combination is now being subjected to a test which will demand all its strength to stand, to such a test as it has never had to meet before. There are indications in both the eastern and western theatres not only of an ominous increase of allied strength in numbers and military equipment, but of the increased power which comes from co-operation and from greater mastery of the art of war.

The Russian army that is now pressing the Austro German forces back is, from all accounts, a very different army from that of last year. In numbers it is probably far larger than before, in training and experience much more seasoned and effective, in all manner of equipment fully as well supplied as its adversaries.

The British-French onset in France is not only a menace in itself, but prevents the Germans from succoring their endangered eastern lines as they have done heretofore. One of the important factors in German success in previous operations has been the promptness with which they could transfer large bodies of troops from one front to the other by means of their splendid system of railway transportation. While the Allies remained quiet in France and Belgium, this interchange was feasible, but if the British keep up their offensive with the persistency which the Germans have shown at Verdun no forces from this quarter will be available for relief anywhere else.

The British have now, it is estimated, at least two million men in France. They are superbly provided with every engine of war. In artillery they can match the Germans with up to date guns, and the devastating fire which preceded their infantry attack seems the last word in this form of blasting battle horror. It is now or never with them; they will surely never be more fit.

This looks like the deciding chapter in the war. There are still five good fighting months in which to write it, and those month ought to tell whether the conflict is to end in a draw or in a positive victory.

BREAK UP OF TURKEY

An important phase of the Far-Eastern extension of the great war that has attracted only occasional attention is the uprising of the Arabian element against Turkish rule. The Arabs are generally Mohammedans, but they are not Turkomans. There is an Arabian revolution now in progress which, though not formally affiliated with the Franco-British-Russian alliance, is plainly dependent upon the ultimate success of the Entente Allies for the maintenance of whatever may be gained during the stress of the great war involvement. The Arabs are now in possession of more than 1,000 miles of that narrow green strip that is between the Red Sea and the sands of the great desert.

They control the seaport Jedda and the important cities of Mecca and Medina. Further northward in this same green strip that borders the Arabian desert in Palestine, in which are the cities of Jerusalem and Damascus, a British force protects the section of this strip through which extends the Suez Canal. What the Arabs have won to the south of Port Said will undoubtedly hold permanently if British control in Egypt and over the canal region remains when the territorial war accounts are finally balanced.

As it observed by a contemporary if the war goes against the Teuton allies it will mean nothing short of the complete annihilation of Turkey; there will be no Turkey on the map either of Europe or Asia. The green strip around Arabia will be likely to figure on the future maps as a new Arabian empire, or, possibly, as an Arabian republic. This strip averages from 50 to 100 miles wide, but there is over 2,000 miles lineal measure to it, including the coastal strip that borders the Persian Gulf. As for Mesopotamia, Russia and Great Britain are already in possession of a large part of that grain growing region. Even that part of Turkey bordering the Mediterranean will be likely to pass from Turkish control.

POLICEMEN'S REQUIREMENTS

It is generally assumed that a policeman must be of the sui generis class. He must bear the criticim of the community when it is alleged he fails to take notice of every little violation of law, and general abuse when he enforces strictly long ignored statutes. This has been his lot from time immemorial, and now the phantom of the ouster law follows him as closely as his shadow. The proceedings of the Police Court of this city this morning show to what extent this notion prevails. On two occasions Saturday night officers of the law attempted to befriend drunken men by placing them upon their feet and advising them to go to their homes. In each case the officers were abused, and insulted. One of the accused was a white man and the other a negro. They were fined $20 each, and their fate should prove a deterrent to others who strangely suppose that policemen are placed in the street for the purpose of drunken men and taking their abuse while engaged in this office of mercy.

The Richmond Virginian contained the following last Saturday which we reproduce in connection with the cases disposed of this morning.

"It was a very happy note that Mr. H. M. Smith, Jr., struck in his address Friday afternoon at the ceremonies attending the laying of the cornerstone of the new Second District police station.

"Especially good is Mr. Smith's plans and specifications of a policeman. The officer must be all-wise, strong as an ox and as tender as a woman, a terror to the evil-doer, a protection to the weak, learned in the law, strong of lung, but soft of voice when explaining things to the "taxpayer," a model neighbor, husband, and father. He must have all the virtues and none of the vices of humanity—and be physically and mentally the pink of perfection."

NEWS OF THE DAY

The Russian duma yesterday adopted a bill according to peasants the same civil rights as are given to other classes of the population.

Tearing the bottom out of the steam yacht Helibird a boiler explosion yesterday caused the death by drowning of five persons in the Delaware River near Penn's Grove, N. J. Eight other occupants of the yacht are not yet accounted for, and it is feared they also perished.

An outing on the Susquehanna river near Wrightsville, Pa., yesterday ended in a tragedy when Stewart Rohrbaugh, 22 years old, one of the picnickers, was drowned after rescuing two girls who had waded into the stream beyond their depth. Rohrbaugh became exhausted after pulling the girls into shallow water and sank.

A dispatch from The Hague says that in a food and peace riot in Cologne, soldiers called on to quell the disturbance, refused to shoot into the crowd, but shot the police, wounding eighteen of them, after the latter had fired into the crowd, killing and wounding many of the rioters. Traffic from Colonge to The Hague has been stopped, adds the dispatch.

One of the members of Sheridan Troop was a little too violent in the farewell caresses of his sweetheart before leaving for Mount Gretna, near Altoona, Pa., The young Tyrone woman complained of severe pains in her right side for several days after the troopers departed. As it seemed to get worse, she consulted the family physician, who discovered that the parting "squeeze" had fractured two of her ribs.

Racing along the Merrick road at a speed of sixty miles an hour, a big touring car early yesterday crashed into a tree at the Five Corners in Lynn Brook, L. I., hurling two the five men who occupied it to their death. A third was morally injured, while the two others may recover. The dead are Frank Darmstadt, of Hewlett, the owner of the machine, who drove it at the time of the accident, and Timothy Batchford.

A sensational tragedy is reported from Spezia, Italy Crazed by groundless jealousy. Capt. Bettolo, a nephew of Admiral Bettolo, shot and killed his wife and a priest and ended his own life by sending a bullet through his head. The captain recently returned home, on a short furlough and found the clergyman, who had long been a friend of the family, in his house, Without the slightest reason he accused his wife, who was a Marchioness of Renedi before her marriage, of infidelity. When she resented this charge, her husband flew into a rage and, drawing his revolver, fired five shots at her and the priest. Both of them died instantly. He then killed himself.

VIRGINIA NEWS

A. Wilburn Hazelgrove, machinist 32 years old, of Richmond was found dead late Friday night in the kitchen of his home. He committed suicide by inhaling gas.

Rev. William G. Starr, D. D. one of the oldest and most widely known Methodist ministers of the State, died Saturday afternoon in Newport News, following a second stroke of paralysis.

The ninth annual session of the Virginia Baptist Summer Encampment will be held at Virginia Beach in the Baptist Auditorium for ten days, commencing tomorrow. This institution enjoys the distinction of being the largest of its kind in the south and one of the greatest in the country.

More than twenty-five special trains will carry members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks into Bedford City on the morning of Saturday, July 8, to attend the dedication exercises of the new National Elks' Home. Speeches are to be delivered by Governor Henry Carter Stuart and prominent members of the fraternity.

Dr. Rayborne M. Williams, about 32 years old, one of the best known Danville dentists, was almost instantly killed Friday, when, while riding a spirited horse, it ran away with him and finally threw him. His left leg caught in the stirrup, and as he came out of the park gate his head struck the cobblestones.

Joseph Anderson, colored, of Louisville, Ky., was beaten to death by James Copeland, also colored, of Petersburg, Saturday night at the show of a medicine company on South Street. The two men became involved in a fight. Copeland picked up a chair and beat Anderson on the head. Anderson was taken to the hospital, where he died soon afterwards. The slayer was arrested.

When Frank Baur, detective sergeant of the Washington police department stepped ashore at Norfolk from the Washington boat Monday morning with his wife and family he felt himself jostled by several men. He suspected the presence of pickpockets, and turned in time to find the hand of a stranger reaching for his roll of greenbacks. Baur grabbed the man and turned him over to the police .

John L. Ratcliffe, a florist, was arrested in Richmond yesterday on a charge of employing O. F. Sutton, a clerk, and Ed Branch, colored, a deliverer, on Sunday. Sutton and Branch each was arrested on a charge of working at a trade or calling on the Sabbath. Should the florist be convicted of working on Sunday, the decision probably will affect a number of Richmond churches that are in the habit of having flowers delivered Sunday morning.

The large fleet of fishing steamers on the Chesapeake and its tributaries engaged in the catching of menhaden for the manufacture of fish scrap and oil is reporting large catches. So far this has been the most profitable season since 1911, when all of the fisn factories paid fabulous dividends. The price of fish scrap and oil is unusually high. If the steamers continue to make good catches the factories wil be able to repair the losses of the past few seasons.

"Unless there is to be war there is no occasion for calling for prayers for the soldiers, and unless there is such an occasion there does not appear to be any ground on which I could comply with the request made of me to set aside Monday, July 3, as a legal holiday in this state," said Governor H. C. Stuart, Saturday. "The only ground except this on which I could call a holiday would be for thanksgiving or for some other religious observance, and there does not appear to be any occasion for this. The matter, however, will be given further consideration before I determine definitely"

A decision of wide interest because it involves the rights of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, with reference to the members of the organization, has been rendered in Bristol. W. T. Vicars, an engineer in the service of the Virginia and Southwestern Railway brought suit against the brotherhood for damages in the sum of $5,000, claiming that he had been demoted by the brotherhood upon the allegation that he was for a term out of the service of the company. Vicars contended that the grounds upon which the brotherhood had sought to deprive him of the benefits of a substantial promotion were lacking in law and equity. As the result of a trial a jury sustained Vicar's contention and awarded him damages in the sum of $1,500.

The 14 year old son of W. D. Hundley, who shot his father during a family row Friday in lower Campbell county, will not be held unless the grand jury acts at a future term of the Circuit Court, for the lad has been discharged by a justice of the peace. A preliminary hearing developed the fact that the father was mistreating his wife, and daughter, when the boy seized a shotgun and threatened the father, who then turned on the lad. The latter ran, but stopping after a short distance, warned the father to stop. When the elder Hundley did not stop the boy opened fire, one shot taking effect in a thigh and the other taking the man's right arm practically off. Hundley was still alive at the last report but the attending physician said there is no chance for him to survive the loss of blood.

MRS HATTY GREEN DEAD.

New York, July 3.—Mrs. Hatty Green, known as "the richest woman in the world" died at her home today.

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WILL TAKE CHURCH BELLS.

Vienna, July 3.—An arrangement has been reached whereby the authorities will take in return for payment, two-thirds of the church bells within the monarchy for military purposes. The agreement issued provides that no bells antedating 1800 will be taken.

In the case of churces equipped with a number of bels, care will be exercised that the one-third retained by the church shall be in harmony, so they still can be used—In other words, that the two-thirds share of the authorities wil not be selected indiscrminately.

This method of obtaining a vast amount of raw material has been decided on after the completion of a "church bell list" of the empire, showing just how many bells are on hand and what their approximate weight is.

GOOD CROPS IN GERMANY

Berlin, July 1.—Official reports just pjublished show that the harvest prospects are excellent throughout the empire, and especially in the southern states. Baden, Alsace, Wuerttemberg, and Bavaria will have at least 50 per cent more barley, rye and wheat than last year, and in Prussia, Saxony, Hesse and the other northern states the crops also promise to be above the average.

As a result of the rainy weather during May there will be an abundance of hay. The condition of the orchards and vineyards is satisfactory, and experts calculate that the apple harvest will exceed that of last year by 2,000,000 barrels. The Black Forest and the Odenwald will furnish enormous quantities of berries.

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"I saw something in one of the Washington papers about a man with troubles like mine, being relieved by Dreco and I bought a bottle. Almost with the first dose I noticed a marked improvement. The pains in my stomach let up, for the first time in months and before long stopped entirely and my appetite got as keen as a youngster, and I positively eat anything I feel like. No more pains in my back, and I walk without the slightest trouble, for I haven't had an ache or pain in my limbs for weeks. I sleep fine, too; my strength has come back and I'm almost back to my normal weight, after taking only three bottles. I haven't a trace of constipation, either, and I suffered from that for years."

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8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisburg to Ashville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham and Augusta. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

4:02 P. M.—Local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special, Sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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THE PICARDY BATTLE

French Soldiers Wear Flowers While Engaged in Fight

Paris, July 3—The first eyewitness stories of the Picardy battle reached Paris:

"For a long time our finest corps have been impatiently awaiting the order to attack in the Somme Valley," said one of the first persons to reach here from the front. "When it was given Saturday morning the enthusiasm was indescribable. Officers and privates embraced one another in joy and the whole regiments burst into patriotic songs.

" The general of one famous corps went to the head of his troops wearing a superb carnation and as the signal for a dash forward was not expected for some hours, all of the men of the corps found flowers in the neighborhood and decorated themselves.

"'Lads,' said the general, 'our flowers will find it too hot when we get among the Germans.'"

The reply was frenzied cheering.

Three hours later this general led his victorious men into Dompierre.

"Two regiments seized Dompierre, which bristled with block houses and machine gun shelters. When the French reached the village it was a pile of smoking ruins. The French accounted for practically every German left alive in the furious hand to hand fighting.

"More than 1,500 German bodies lay on the shell-shattered ground and 700 survivors gave themselves up."

CZAR CONTINUES PUSH

Captures Austrian Positions and Takes 2000 Prisoners

London, July 3—Gen. Letchitsky's army continues to follow up its success at Kolomea by pushing on to the west. Last night's official statement from Petrograd reports the capture of Austrian positions by storm beyond Kolomea, while Vienna in referring to these actions, says briefly that "violent fighting accurred west of Kolomea and south of the Dniester River."

The fierce and stubborn battle between Russian troops and Germans in the region bounded by the Styr and Stokhod rivers has thus far failed to yield definite results. Both sides claim the repulse of counter-attacks.

In the fighting of the past twenty four hours west of Kolomea the Russians have taken 2,000 prisoners.

NOTICE

Having qualified as Executrix of the Estate of Virginia Chauncey deceased, all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement of said indebtedness.

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RUSSIA JUST BEGINNING

Promise That in a Year From Now She Will Wage War in Earnest

The peace rumors circulated in Germany, Austria-Hungary and the neutral countries are flatly contradicted by reports reaching Bucharest from Russia.

The Petrograd correspondent of the Adverul writes:

"The Central Powers may succeed in exhausting France and Italy and even compel England to make peace, but Russia will never admit defeat. In spite of all the reverses suffered by the Russian Army the strength of the giant empire has not been impaired in the least.

"Russia today is actually far stronger than at the beginning of the war. New legions are continually formed and the lack of officers, arms, and ammunition is gradually overcome.

"Japan and the United States are sending thousands of guns and enormous quantities of small arms, shells cartridges, explosives and war material. England and France also ship a large part of their surplus in munitions to Archangel and the Russian factories are worked to their full capacity day and night.

"To lessen the financial strain caused by the large imports about 50 new munition factories are to be built and part are already under construction. These works will be able to turn out tens of thousands of shell and millions of cartridges every week.

"In about a year from now Russia will begin the war in earnest, if Germany and her allies do not break down before. Early next spring Russia will have a wonderfully equipped army of eight or ten million men and when this enormous fighting machine strikes with its full force the result of the war will no longer be doubtful.

"Russia will never stop fighting until Germany and Austria are smashed and conquered. The military leaders are firmly convinced that the armies of the Czar will triumphantly enter Berlin, Vienna, and Budapest, in the fall of 1917 at the latest.

OLD JIMMIES AT J. H. MASSEY'S sea food establishment are guaranteed home steamed daily. We make a specialty of home plicked crab meat highly flavored and well seasoned. Crabs regular size 30c doz. Select crabs 40c a dozen Crab meat 30c a quart. Clams 15c a dozen. Bell phone 704 J. 1209-1211 King street, Alexandria.

NOTICE OF MEETING

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Arlington Brewing Company, which meeting is hereby called in pursuance of an order of this date, made by the Company's Board of Directors, will be held at the Company's office at Rosslyn, Virginia, at 2 o'clock P. M. on the 11th. day of July, A. D. 1916, for the purpose of considering the Act of Assembly of Virginia, approved March 10, 1916, known as the "Prohibition Act" and for the adoption of such measures as the stockholders may deem proper in reference thereto, or in consequence thereof.

STEAMER ST. JOHNS
Moonlight Dancing Trips
Every evening except Saturday and Sunday through June
Steamer Leaves Cameron Street Wharf 7:30 p. m.
Home About 10:30.
FARE ROUND TRIP, ADULTS, 25c
CHILDREN, 15c
Colonial Beach trips next Saturday . 3:00 p. m., and Sunday 9:30 a. m. .

REGAIN Your Normal WEIGHT
You can add one-fourth to one-half pound a day by drinking one pint of this delicious, digestive tonic with each meal.
SHIVAR GINGER ALE
Gives you a hearty appetite, vigorous digestion, rich blood, clear complexion and firm flesh. Your money back on first dozen pints if you are not delighted. At all grocers.
Bottled only by the celebrated
SHIVAR MINERAL SPRING, SHELTON, S. C.
If your dealer has none in stock tell him to 'phone
F. S. HARPER, INC.
Distributors for Alexandria

NOTICE

Tax payers who have not listed their personal property are hereby given final notice to file said list with the Commissioner of Revenue on or before the 10th day of July. Those who do not make proper returns by that date will be cited before the Local Board of Review and Examiner of Records, subject to penalty prescribed by law.

Office of Commissioner open to receive list from 9 to 12 A. M. 1 to 5 P. M. and from 7 to 9 P. M.

In evening take the Cameron street entrance to City Hall.

CHAS. H. CALLAHAN,
Commissioner of the Revenue.

By failure on the part of tax payers to submit duly certified list of personal property and income to the Commissioner of Revenue for assessment, the tax payer incurs a heavy penalty which is arbitrarily fixed by statute, and as the Commissioner will hold his office open in the evening as well as during regular office hours we, the undersigned urge all who have not done so to take advantage of this opportunity, and avoid trouble. The Commissioner will make his return to the local board of review immediately after the 10th. Those who have not filed lists before that date will be cited to appear before the board and examiner of records for investigation, subject to the fines and penalties prescribed by law.

ROBINSON MONCURE, Chairman
EDWARD E. LAWLER
CLINTON S. BALLENGER.

Richmond-Surprise Theatres

RICHMOND

Jesse L. Lasky presents the noted actress Fannie Ward in
The Cheat
Paramount five parts.

Charlie Chaplin in
The Fireman
Mutual two parts

Pathe Weekly one reel of the latest war news.

TUESDAY
Mabel Taliaferro and Edwin Carewe in
The Snowbird

WEDNESDAY
Frank Keenan and Charles Ray in a five reel play.
The Coward

SURPRISE

Pathe presents Pearl White, Creighton Hale and Sheldon Lewis in
The Iron Claw
Chapter thirteen "The hidden face".

TUESDAY
Lubin presents Rosetta Brice and Richard Buhler in
Love's Toll
Five part feature.

WEDNESDAY
Henry B. Walthall and Edna Mayo in Hale and Sheldon Lewis in
The Strange Case of Mary Page
Chapter thirteen.

NOTE—Owing to the tremendous cost of the Chaplin reels, we are compelled to advance our price to 10 cents for children and 15 cents for adults for the Monday performance at the Richmond theatre.

SUMMER SCHOOL.

A six weeks summer session of school for those desiring work in the grammar grades and high school sourses will be conducted in the Lee School building by C A Burrus, principal of the Washington School beginning about the last week in July. Those interested please address, Box 365, city post office.

Palm Beach Suits
Corrrectly Laundered
50c
Banner Steam Laundry
Telephone, Bell 203
Telephone, Home 133R.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST

LOST—On June 27th, between 1207 Duke street and Swan's store a silver friendship bracelet, with initials C. A. C. on clasp link. Return to 1207 Duke St. 30-3t.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy, and harness. Cheap. Apply, B. B. Ezrine, 904 King Street . . . . . 30-3t.

FOR SALE—Horse, wagon and harness, very cheap 215 South Payne Street. 29-3t.

FOR SALE—1914 Ford car, for sale immediately. Greatest baragin of the season, Address Box R, Care of Gazette.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House 308 north Patrick street. Apply at 115 south Alfred street. 30-3t.

WANTED

WANTED—A woman for cooking and general housework. Apply Box X, Gazette Office. 1-3t.

WANTED—Several canvassers. Apply B. B. Ezrine, 904 King St.

WANTED — 50 farm hands, good wages, Apply to R. E. Grover, foot of Franklin street, Alexandria Virginia. 29-6t

WANTED—Sober, industrious, married man with proven selling ability, 25 to 35 years old, to take charge of established business in Alexandria. Must have A-1. reference and be able to furnish $500.00 real estate bond. Salary $15.00 per week at start and chance to make $30.00 or more. Apply in person, 1712 Fourteenth St., N. W., Washington, D. C.4

WANTED—Several ambitious, energetic, earnest, industrious, honest men, from 25 to 35 (married preferred) can procure good lucrative positions with a tried and proved old line insurance company. Permanent and chance for advancement. Ex-Agents need not apply unless they can come with best of recommendations from their last employer. References and security required. Reply, stating qualifications, etc., to Wm. A. Bennett, Vice President and Mgr., 816 14th Street N. W, Washington, D. C.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors, a special meeting of the Stockholders of the Seminole Land and Investment Cmpany will be held at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax St., Alexandria, Virginia on Wednesday, July 5th, at 11 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of considering an offer for the sale of the real and personal property of the Co. and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

L. V. FRENCH, Secretary.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, JUNE 21, 1916.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, the regular semi-annual dividend of six per cent was declared, payable on and after July 1, 1916. GEO. E. WARFIELD,
26-w Cashier.

SAMUEL H. LUNT
Auctioneer

Trustee's Sale . .

The undersigned substituted Trustee will sell at public auction on Thursday, the sixth day of July, 1916, at twelve o'clock' noon, in front of the premises, a handsome three story cement block residence, containing all modern improvements. This property consists of four lots, known as lots Numbers twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four and twenty-five in Block No. 17, Groves' Subdivision of Mount Ida. It is situated close to the electric railroad and one block from car station.

A deposit of ten per cent will be required when property is knocked down to purchaser.

Terms of Sale: CASH.

HOWARD W. SMITH,
Substituted Trustee.

FOR SALE.

Fine two story frame dwelling No. 200 Duke Street corner Lee Street containing eight rooms and bath. Lot has a frontage on Duke Street of 40 feet and a depth of 91 feet 6 inches on Lee Street to a 10 foot alley in rear. Inspection of this property by permit only. Keys of houses at my office.

Further Particulars of
J. D. NORMOYLE
King and Royal Streets

THE BURNING QUESTION

that confronts you to-day is, is your house insured; have you an insurance policy covering your property, or are you at the mercy of the fire fiend whenever he sees fit to ravage your home? If you are not insured get insured today, there is no telling what may happen tomorrow. We will write you a policy that will protest you.

Graham & Ogden.
Alexandria Virginia 529 King Street.

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Established 1853
High Grade Investment Bonds 1st Mortgages on Real Estate.
Deposits Received Subject to Check. 3 Per cent. paid on Savngs Deposits. Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent. Letters of Credit and Travelers Express Cheques.

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA
COMPTROLLERS CALL

	March 10, 1876	May 1, 1916
Surplus	$ 486.61	$ 163,886.44
Deposits	140,075.94	1,017,398.56
Assets	355,562.55	1,380,385.00

A Good Bank to Grow With

Alexandria National Bank
CAPITAL $100,000.00.
We are prepared to handle the accounts of firms, corporations and individuals, who may rely upon courteous consideration and the very best terms that are consistent with good business methods.
OFFICERS
Judge C. E. Nicol, President, W. B. Smoot, Vice-President.
J. L. Perry, Cashier

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make everything sure and ship shape. Stock up with a little repair kit, a hero of a hundred emergencies. Carry some blow-out patches along. Let us show you our stock of tire protectors We can smooth your touring way.

604 King Street **Fairfax & Co.** BellPhone 118

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect May 28, 1916
For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33 a.m 12:01, 12:14 12:23, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:16, 8:53, 11:33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accomodation for Fredericksburg at 2:23, p. m. Saturdays and 11:18 a. m. other days of week.

Local from Richmond arrives 6:07 p. m. week days and 8:07 p. m. Sundays.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company.

Every day in the year for Fort Monroe, Norfolk, Newport News and points south, via suberb powerful steel palace steamers.

Through connections made at Norfolk with steamers of the Old Dominion Steamship Company for New York and Merchants and Miners' Steamships for Boston.

WASHINGTON-VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO.

In effect June 21, 1915.
Subject to Change Without Notice.
Leave Alexandria For Washington—
Daily Except Sundays and Holidays
A. M.—5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20, 7 30, 7 40 7 50, 8 00; 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40; 10 00; 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40, Noon 12 00.
P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00; 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40; 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 20; 9 00; 9 20; 10 00, 10 20, 11 20, 11 55.
Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 7 05, 7 20, 7 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.
Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.
A. M.—Week Days—5 25, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30;—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 3 30; 4 30; 5 25; 6 40 7 35, 8 55, 10 30; 11 50.
Sundays as above except 6 25 and 8 55 A. M. and 11 50 P. M.

Summer Prices
Anthracite Coal
W. A. Smoot & Co

LANSBURGH & BRO
Washington, D. C.
Established in 1860
Leaders Then — Leaders Now
Rebuilding Sale
NOW IN PROGRESS
Our entire 8th st. building has been torn down and in its stead a New 6 Story Steel Structure will be built. All the departments that were located there in have been moved to the front store. New Merchandise is coming in every day and we have no room for it consequently.
EXTRAORDINARY VALUES are being offered in every department throughout our establishment.
It will pay you to come from any distance to take advantage of the wonderful opportunities that are being offered.
MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

"Chamberlain's Tablets Have Done Wonders for Me"

"I have been a sufferer from stomach trouble for a number of years, and although I have used a great number of remedies recommended for this complaint, Chamberlain's Tablets is the first medicine that has given me positive and lasting relief,' writes Mrs. Anna Kadin, Spencerport, N. Y., "Chamberlain's Tablets have done wonders for me and I value them very highly." Obtainable everywhere

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One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, S. W. McClinton, Blandon Springs, Ala., writes "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as most any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got him well." Obtainable everywhere.